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COMMEMORATING THE
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— OF —
SALISBURY, MD.

AUGUST 7-13, 1932

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Greetings !

The City of Salisbury throws wide its gates to you who come from far and near to enjoy with us the festivities of our Two-Hundredth Birthday Party. We delight to do you honor. Every effort will be made to make your stay with us pleasurable and profitable. The City of Salisbury wishes to make its motto, "Hospitality and Friendship" live in the hearts of all who honor us with their presence. We hope that every one who comes here will want to come again.

This Bicentennial is designed to show in visible and tangible form through pictures, stories, and symbolic representations, our past history, our present achievements, and our future hopes. That it will result in pleasure and profit, entertainment and instruction for all, is our earnest desire.

WADE H. INSLEY, Mayor

Salisbury, Md.

BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

SYNOPSIS OF PROGRAM, AUG. 7-13

SUNDAY, AUGUST 7.

Afternoon

Opening rounds Golf Tournament

Evening

Sacred Concert and Religious Services at Municipal Park, Speakers, Rev. Dr. Lewis E. Mudge, former Moderator Presbyterian Church in America
After religious services the illuminated fountain will be turned on for the first time.

MONDAY, AUGUST 8

Morning

Registration of guests and former Salisburians.
Golf and Tennis.

Afternoon

Ceremonies official opening of celebration.
Greetings to J. S. Rambridge, Mayor Salisbury, England
Public Reception for Mayor Rambridge and honor guests

Evening

Band Concert, Carnival.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 9

Morning

Golf and Tennis

Afternoon

Golf and Tennis
Maryland National Guard Air Squadron

Evening

Historical Pageant in Municipal Park, cast of 330 lineal descendants of early settlers

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10

Morning

Girls' Day. Athletic Contests. Acquatic Sports

Afternoon

Boys' Day in charge of City Government.
Naval Air Squadron
Reception at Girl Scouts' Little House

Evening

Public Banquet—Guests of Honor: Governor Ritchie, Mayor of Salisbury, England
Tri-County Audition

PROGRAM OF EVENTS---Continued.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 11

Morning

Golf and Tennis

Afternoon

Parade, four miles in length, floats, thirty bands
Army Air Squadron

Evening

Street Carnival
Colonial Costumes

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12

Morning

Golf and Tennis

Afternoon

Harbor Day

Evening

Band Concert

SATURDAY, AUGUST 13

Morning

Horseshoe Tournament

Afternoon

Finals in Golf, Tennis Tournaments

Evening

Circus

DAILY FEATURES:—Band concerts, exhibition of historical relics, school exhibits, carnival attractions, historical tours, half hour stunt flying each afternoon.

Traffic and Parking Regulations

Free parking sites for automobiles have been designated and posted in and adjacent to the down town business section of Salisbury. Space has been provided for several thousand cars.

Parking sites easily accessible are on sections of the following streets: East Main, East Market, Water, Cathell, Meadow, and in Glen Haven Development. The lots have been well graded and will be patrolled. The Salisbury City Police will be augmented by twenty State motorcycle patrolmen in the command of Capt. E. McK. Johnson.

Street signs conspicuously placed will indicate sections of streets where parking is banned.

The following specific regulations will be enforced for traffic on the days designated:

Sunday Evening, August 7th—Traffic banned on East Main Street, from Ward Street to Davis Street, from 6:30 P. M. to 10:00 P. M.

Monday, August 8th—Traffic prohibited on East Main Street from Division to Baptist, between 1:00 P. M. and 4:30 P. M.

Tuesday, August 9th—Traffic regulations same as Sunday.

Wednesday, August 10th—No restrictions on Traffic.

Thursday, August 11th—No parking on streets along the route of the parade and from these streets all traffic will be diverted from 3:00 P. M. to 5:00 P. M. (For route of parade, see Thursday's program).

Thursday Evening — Traffic diverted from Court of Honor on East Main Street, from Division to Baptist.

Friday, August 12th—No traffic restrictions.

Saturday, August 13th—No traffic restrictions.

General Information

The Girl Scouts' Little House will be open daily throughout the week. The Girl Scouts of Salisbury and the Girls' Day Committee invite lady visitors to come and rest and enjoy the hospitality of the Scouts in their home on Bell Street. Trained nurses will be on duty to assist the Scouts should any first aid treatments be needed. The house will be open daily from 10:00 A. M. to 9:00 P. M.

The Red Cross and public health first-aid tents will be located on the Court House Green.

Boy Scouts service tents, located on Court House Green, will render service to visitors.

Houses of Friendship where visitors may rest and gather to meet their friends are situated as follows: Jackson Memorial Building, corner Broad and North Division Streets; Parish House, St. Peters Street; Fellowship Hall, North Division Street.

Visitors may obtain information from any one wearing a citizen's button or committee badge.

A microphone is located at the corner of Main and Division Streets and connected with amplifying system for emergency calls or announcements that may be necessary. This is a convenience offered all visitors.

Places of general and historical interest to visitors are described in the articles Modern and Historical Salisbury, appearing on the final pages.

Location Directions

The relics exhibit is in the residence at North Division Street. The schools exhibit is in the new Wicomico High School on East Main Street, between Davis and Ward Streets. The Municipal Park is on East Main Street, about three minutes walk from Court House Square.

State Normal School where Tennis matches are held is on Camden Avenue extended.

BICENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

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Military Parade

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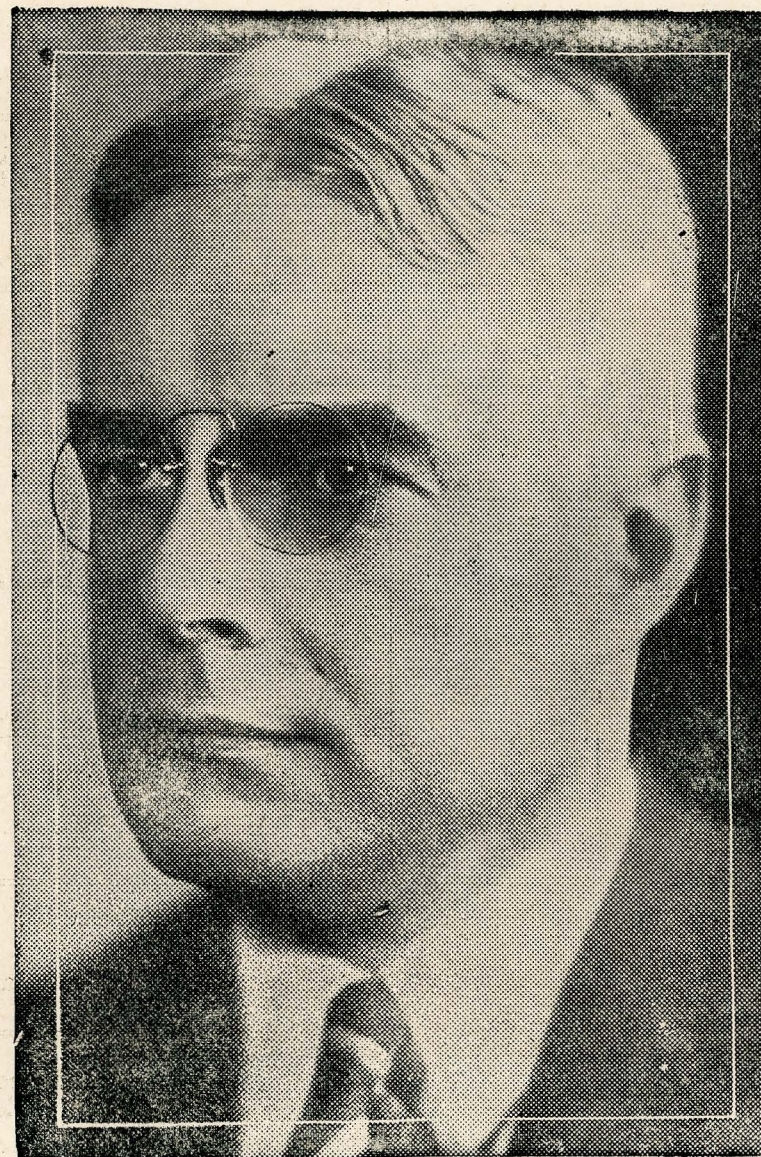
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SUNDAY

— 3:00 P. M. —

Opening Matches Tennis Tournament

— 7:00 P. M. —

Sacred Band Concert and Evening Church Service

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"Marche Salve"	Tschaikowsky
"Romance" in Eb	Rubenstein
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"Pilgrim's Song of Hope"	Batiste
Invocation	
"Onward Christian Soldiers"	Carter-Sullivan
"All Hail The Power of Jesus Name"	Parronet
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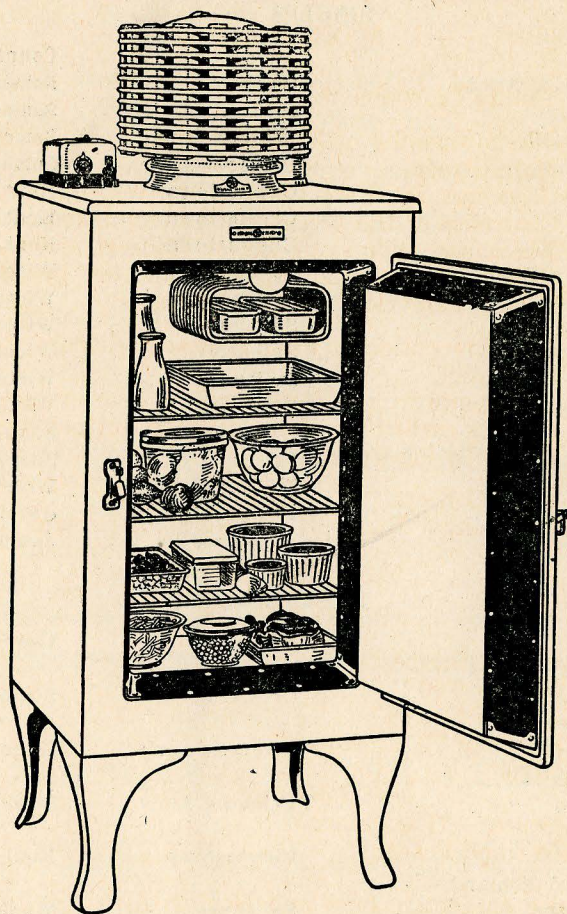
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Name	Address	County
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Levin L. Waters	Princess Anne	Somerset
Charles T. Smith	Princess Anne	Somerset
Robert Waters	Princess Anne	Somerset
D. B. Ford	Chestertown	Kent
J. W. Lewis	Chestertown	Kent
Parks Rasin	Chestertown	Kent
James Leonard Benjamin	Salisbury	Wicomico
Albert G. Allen	Salisbury	Wicomico
Milton L. Severance	Salisbury	Wicomico
Hardy Richardson	Salisbury	Wicomico
Miller White	Salisbury	Wicomico
W. Lee Allen	Salisbury	Wicomico
Roland D. J. Raught	Lewes	Sussex
Daniel E. Ellis	Lewes	Sussex
E. Winston Matthews	Pocomoke	Worcester
William T. Kelley	Preston	Caroline
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Team	Address	County
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Charles T. Smith Robert Waters	Princess Anne	Somerset
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James Leonard Benjamin Franklin Cooper	Salisbury	Wicomico
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BICENTENNIAL PROGRAM

MONDAY

10:00 A. M.—Tennis Tournament.

3:00 P. M.—Official opening of Bicentennial at Court of Honor, East Main Street.

Greetings by State Comptroller William S. Gordy, Jr., Chairman of the Bicentennial Commission.

Welcoming address by Mayor Wade H. Insley.

Official Bicentennial opening address by Mayor John Sidney Rambridge, Salisbury, England.

4:30 P. M.—Public reception at First Regiment Armory, South Division Street.

Preference in admittance will be given those presenting patrons cards or wearing citizens buttons together with their visiting guests.

8:00 P. M.—Band Concert.

Bicentennial Band—H. B. Marston, Director

Municipal Park

PROGRAM

March—"Stars And Stripes"	Sousa
Overture—"William Tell"	Rossini
Mazurka—"Birds of Spring"	Williams
Grand Selection from "Il Trovatore"	Verdi
"American Patrol"	Meacham
<i>Part Two</i>	
"Torchlight Dance"—(Fackletanz)	Meyerbeer
Overture—"Poet and Peasant"	Suppe
<i>"Albion"</i>	
Grand Fantasia on Scotch, Irish and English Airs	Baetens
Chilian Dance—"Manana"	Missud
March—"Washington Post"	Sousa

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TUESDAY

2:00 P. M. Continuation of Tennis Tournament.

Arrival of Maryland National Guard Air Squadron.

8:00 P. M. Historical and symbolic open air pageant at Municipal Park.

(In the event of inclement weather, Pageant will be postponed until Friday evening).

SYNOPSIS OF PAGEANT

PROLOGUE: Dance of Greeting.

THE PAGEANT OF HISTORY.

Episode I. The Settlement of a New Town.

The Indians hear of the coming of the White Man. The town is marked off.

Episode II. Revolutionary War Days.

General Smallwood and his soldiers arrive during the Ball. Ben Allen, Tory, robber, and pirate, is captured and executed.

Interlude I. Civil War Tunes.

Episode III. The Formation of a New County.

Salisbury is made Queen of Wicomico, formed from parts of the counties of Worcester and Somerset, presented by Princess Anne and Snow Hill.

Interlude II. Jim Jeams, the last town crier, tells the news of the day.

Episode IV. A Political Parade for Elihu E. Jackson.

The town's people stage a demonstration at the nomination of Jackson for Governor of Maryland. The town people show their enthusiasm.

Episode V. Salisbury Calls Her Sons to War.

Troops assemble and march away to take part in the great conflict. The veterans return and form a Guard of Honor for the Gold Star Mother.



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THE PAGEANT OF GROWTH.

Salisbury with her attendants, Progress, Vision, Courage, Faith, Heralds and Pages, reigns as Queen.

Episode VI. Growth of Agriculture.

Sweet Potatoes, Tomatoes, Strawberries, Cantaloupes, and Cucumbers make merry until the Cans surround them.

Episode VII. Growth of Transportation.

The Stage-Coach, the Locomotive, the Automobile, the Boat, the Airplane are represented as the most important forms of transportation.

Episode VIII. Growth of Building.

After the scene of the Great Fire the modern Home, the School, and the Church represent the Salisbury of today.

Episode IX. Growth of Industry.

The Spirit of Power aids the hands of the workers in turning the wheel of industry.

Episode X. Finale.

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Prologue—Constance Clark, Helena Barnes, Leoma Davis, Betty Diffin, Roselyn Cordrey, Marjorie Freeman, Margaret Hammond, Eleanor Hearne, Betty Holloway, Ruth Messick, Jewel Moncure, Doris Atkinson, Eloise Nock, Meta Grace Nock, Mildred Mitchell, Virginia Whyte, Anna Belle Price, Betty Ruark, Emogene Smith, Pearl Webster, Grace Walls, Virginia Waller, Julia Lake Waller, Polly White, Martha White, Jacquelin Williams, Louise Faison, Elizabeth Winifree, Wanda Vickers, Elizabeth Williams, Mary Frances McCarthy, Dora Williams, Irene Wunder.

Episode I. Settlement of a New Town.

Indian Chief—Gene Wanna.

Members of the Tribe—Alton Hughes, Bobby Murphy, Howard Waller, William Holloway, Wm. E. Waller, Lewis Briddell, Benjamin Hills, William Booth, Thomas White, Harold Porter, Staton Adkins, Francis Brittingham, George Spence, Frank Coulbourne, Wallace Messick, Eugene Bounds.

Early Settlers—Roland Taylor, Vaughn Richardson, Joseph Gunby, Stanley Robins, John Gunby, Melvin Turner, Howard Ward.

Episode II. Revolutionary War Days.

Host and Hostess—William Sheppard, Edith Ackley.

Dancers—Iris White, Louise Tilghman, Alice Mitchell, Claude Dorman, George Tilghman, Lucille Purnell, Milton White, Nellie M. Leverett, Alice White, W. E. Tilghman, E. R. White, Denwood Mitchell, Sidney Monsees, Marie Allen, Carl Monsees, Albert Allen.

Spectators—Fred Adkins, Ruth Harcum, Maria Ellegood, Howard Ruark, Edna Adkins, Harry Harcum.

General Smallwood—Harland Huston.

Aides—John Kuhn, Bayard Cooper.

Soldiers—Rupert Jones, George Stevens, Everett Hearne, Hardy Richardson, Roy J. Howie, William F. Waller, Dryden Colona, John Howie, Scott Richardson.

Ben Allen—Dr. S. H. Hurdle

Episode III.

Salisbury—Carolyn Waller.

Progress, Agnes Weir; Vision, Dorothy McElrath; Courage, Sidney Monsees; Faith, Mamie Grier.

Pages—Richard Campbell, Robert Cannon.

Heralds—C. R. Disharoon, Newton Jackson

Princess Anne—Marian Moore.

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Girls of Somerset—Virginia Davis, Estalee Twigg, Dorothy Bailey, Beatrice Parker, Margaret Mortimer, Thelma Dryden, Paige Cauthorne, Lois Sharp, Nellie Ingersoll, Virginia Stevens.

Snow Hill—Mildred Carver.

Girls of Worcester—Nellie Lankford, Eleanor Davis, Marteda Lilliston, Helen Perdue, Kay Perdue, Katherine Jordan, Irene Banks, Mamie Graham, Bess Merrick, Mildred Wright, Margaret Hearne.

Men of 1867—Charles Hearne, Edmund Mortimer, Walton Parsons, George Turner, Lee Johnson, Frank Coulbourne, Miller White, Floyd Larimore, Walter B. Cooper, Charles Potts, Charles Bennett.

Interlude.

Jim Jeams—Ernest Holloway.

Episode IV.

Gov. Jackson—Hugh J. Vander Bogart.

Mrs. Jackson—Mrs. Hugh J. Vander Bogart.

E Stanley Toadvine—C. M. Freeman

Friends—Irma Tilghman, Mrs. C. M. Freeman, G. William Phillips, Louise Cooper, Ruth White, Thomas White, Louise Morris.

Torchbearers—William Morgan, David Wroten, Ernest Wheatley, James Bounds, Benjamin Quillen, Milton Severance, David Fields, Wilson Rayne, Richard Insley, Wilbur Rounds, Ralph Dulany, Charles Skirven, Charles Hayman, MacFadden Dick, Lyman M. Jordan, Fulton D. Fields, Graham Gunby, John West, Thomas McElrath, Henry Mitchell, George Dallas, Eustace Moncure, William Moore, Calvin Carmean, George Booth, Robert White, Gordon Brittingham, Robert Morris, Robert Atkinson, Sidney Niblett.

Episode V. Salisbury Calls Her Sons to War.

A platoon from Company I, First Regiment, M. N. G.

Veterans—John L. Morris, V. H. Powell, Charles Engle, Lewis Stevens, Alfred T. Truitt, Joseph Rawson, William Gavin, Philip L. Gerlack, D. A. Hannaman, Brooke Troy, A. T. Grier, L. A. Powell

Gold Star Mother—Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Davis

Episode VI. Growth of Agriculture.

Sweet Potatoes—Anne Jones, Evelyn Jordan, Carrie Calloway, Helen Gordy, Margaret Goffigan.

Tomatoes—Frances LeCates, Anna Belle Clark, Sara G. Adkins, Catherine LeCates, Peggy Disharoon, Sara Carey.

Cantaloupes—Elva Morris, Erma Adkins, Esther Webster, Mabel Kelley.

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Cans—Dora Williams, India Lee Waller, Pearl Webster, Doris Atkinson, Elizabeth Williams, Edith Donoway, Charlotte Powell, Louise Kenney, Mary Culver, Eloise Robertson, Harriet Elliott, Eunice Lee Harcum.

Episode VII. The Growth of Transportation.

Episode VIII. Growth of Building.

Fire Sprites—Elizabeth Price, Dorothy Phippin, Irene Waller, Eloise Robertson, Anna Belle Price, Mabel Kelley, Vida Wimbrow, Irma Adkins, Anna Rose Smith, Frances Tilghman, Elva Morris, Isabelle Wimbrow, Leslie Purnell, Jeanne Holloway, Leona Williams, Evelyn Taylor, Betty Harcum, Charlotte Lowe, Mary Miles, Flora Williams, Ruth Long, Elsie Hardesty, India Lee Waller, Mary Culver, Katherine East, Louise Kenney, Betty Ruark, Esther Webster, Edith Donoway, Anne Belle Clark.

Episode IX. Growth of Industry.

Ballet Mechanique—Constance Clark, Helena Barnes, Leoma Davis, Betty Diffin, Roselyn Cordrey, Marjorie Freeman, Margaret Hammond, Eleanor Hearne, Betty Holloway, Ruth Messick, Jewel Moncure, Doris Atkinson, Eloise Nock, Meta Grace Nock, Anna Belle Price, Betty Ruark, Emogene Smith, Pearl Webster Grace Walls, Virginia Waller, Julia Lake Waller, Polly White, Martha White, Jacquelin Williams, Louise Faison, Elizabeth Winifree, Wanda Vickers, Elizabeth Williams, Mary Frances McCarthy, Dora Williams, Mildred Mitchell, Virginia Whyte.

Spirit of Power—Martha Bounds.

Episode X. Finale.

Maryland—Louise Hill.

Past—Louise Pilchard.

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WEDNESDAY

Girls' Day

9:00 A. M. Girls athletic contests and aquatic sports.

- I. 10 to 16. Dodge Ball.
- II. 12 to 18. Swimming and Diving.
- III. 14 to 16. Volley Ball.
- IV. 10 to 14. Flag Relay.
- V. 10 to 14. Run and Catch Relay.
- VI. 10 to 14. Shuttle Relay.

The contests, open to all bonafide girl residents of Salisbury, are held at the Municipal Park and Wicomico High School athletic field.

The aquatic sports include swimming, employing various strokes, candle relay, short dashes, plain and fancy diving. Girls participating in the Celebration will be in charge of Girl Scouts, whose leaders are: Aline Mitchell, Bess Merrick and Beatrice Parker. All contests will be under supervision of the Maryland Playground Athletic League directors.

4:30 P. M.

Reception and Tea at Girl Scouts' Little House for Governor Ritchie, Mayor Rambridge and other guests.
Visitation by the Naval Air Squadron from Anacostia.

4:00 P. M. Tennis Tournament.

8:00 P. M.

Tri-county radio audition at Fellowship Hall for Wicomico, Worcester, and Somerset Counties.

8:30 P. M.

Concert by Bicentennial Band in the Auditorium of Wicomico High School in conjunction with the City and County Schools' exhibit.

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Relics exhibit open today from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 P. M.

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PROGRAM FOR BOYS' DAY

Wednesday, August 10th

10:00 A. M.

Swimming and other contests at Municipal Park and State Normal School grounds under supervision of Games Committee and representative of Playground Athletic League.

1:00 P. M.

Assembly of Junior Mayor and Council and other appointed officers.

Junior Police Department take charge of traffic and other police duties.

1:45 P. M.

Visitation of the Right Worshipful, the Mayor of Salisbury, England, Mr. Councillor John Stewart Rambridge, to the Junior Mayor and Council while in session.

Presentation of loving cup.

Sometime between three and four o'clock Junior Fire Department will answer alarm and perform the duties of regular firemen.

Demonstrations of resuscitation and first aid by members of the Fire Department and Boy Scouts.

6:30 P. M.

Father and Son Banquet in State Armory, Junior Toastmaster in charge.

Program for banquet:

Singing—One stanza of "The Star Spangled Banner"
One stanza of "God Save the King"
One stanza of "Maryland, My Maryland"

Invocation.

Introduction of Junior Toastmaster.

Dinner to be served.

During dinner, songs led by song leader accompanied by orchestra.

Introduction of Junior Mayor.

Introduction of Junior Fire Chief.

Introduction of Junior Chief of Police.

Introduction of His Excellency, Albert C. Ritchie, Governor of Maryland.

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City Clerk and Treasurer—Ellwood Ardis.

City Solicitor—Sidney Niblett.

City Engineer—Raymond Williams.

Building Inspector—Elmer D. Bailey.

Harbormaster—Edwin Mitchell.

City Health Officer—Marion Stewart.

City Police Justice—Herman Purnell.

Chief of Police—Clarence Morris.

Assistant Chief of Police—A. Everett Williams, Jr.

Troop 1

Edwin Hobbs
Richard Sheridan

John Englar
Athlyn Waller

Troop 2

Albert Morris
Wade Carruthers

Herman Purnell
Robert Elderdice

Troop 3

Thomas Calloway
William Phipps

John Dennis
Dallas Lewis

Troop 4

William Day
Arthur E. Williams

Arthur Richardson
Graham Hayman

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Richard Carter
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Alfred Reddish
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THURSDAY

10:00 A. M. Continuation of Tennis Tournament.

Arrival of Army Air Squadron from Langley Field, Va.
Ceremonies at Hebron Airport, christening bombing plane
"City of Salisbury", followed by informal luncheon for of-
ficers of their squadron.

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

Concert by Bicentennial Band at the Reviewing Stand,
Court of Honor.

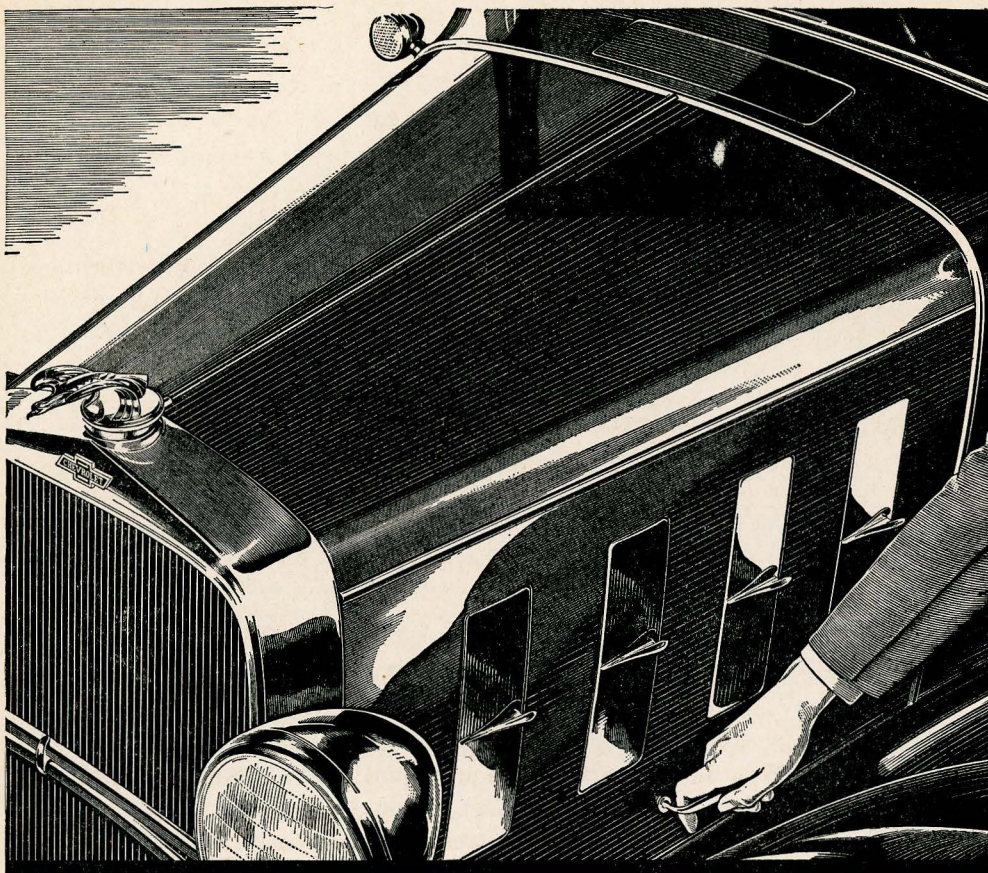
3:00 P. M. Mammoth Parade.

8:00 P. M.

Street Mardi Gras presided over by the Queen of the Bicen-
tennial. This will be one of the most colorful events of
the Celebration in which the public may participate. The
Mardi Gras will open with an informal grand march which
will be reviewed by the Queen, from her throne, at the
Court of Honor. East Main Street from Division to Baptist
Street will be devoted exclusively to this spectacular event
which will include such old time dances as: the Virginia
Reel, Paul Jones, Barn Dances, etc.

Colonial costumes are preferred but not absolutely neces-
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Music will be furnished by the United States Marine Band,
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THE PARADE

[If the weather is too inclement the parade will march on the first afternoon the weather is favorable]

The parade, scheduled to start at 3:00 P. M., will not make an especial feature of the historical development of Salisbury, since this aspect of the week's celebration was presented in the pageant on Tuesday evening; rather will it show the present status of a typical American community with emphasis upon the individual characteristics of this particular city. At the same time, many of the individual features of the parade will have sufficient background to make clear the contrast of the present with the past.

The parade will form on the grounds of the State Normal School, South Camden Avenue, and streets adjacent thereto. It will be organized in several divisions, each division presenting its own distinctive picture.

The route of the parade is as follows: Start at Camden and College Avenues, proceeding north on Camden Avenue to Market Street; to Main Street; through the Court of Honor to Baptist Street; to Water Street; to North Division Street; to Isabella Street; to Railroad Avenue; to West Church Street; to Poplar Hill Avenue; to Market Street; to South Division Street; to Locust Street. At this point, the parade will be considered at an end, and all participants who wish to drop out are privileged to do so. The floats will continue on South Division Street to College Avenue, into the Normal School Grounds, where they will be parked and dismantled.

It will be led by an escort of City and State Police on motorcycles, under command of Captain E. McK. Johnson. Mr. John K. Gunby will act as Grand Marshall. Next in line will be officials of the State and City, executives of the Bicentennial Commission, and special guests.

Bands of music and drum and bugle corps will march at proper intervals to produce, without interfering with each other, an almost continuous concert throughout the entire route of the parade.

The spectacular educational and entertainment features of the parade will be led by a float bearing the "Queen of Salisbury" and her attendants. Costumes will be of the period of 1732. Characters on this float are:

Queen—Carolyn Waller.

Heralds—Newton Jackson, C. R. Disharoon.

Court Jester—Billy Hopkins.







Male Guards—Harold Porter, Robert White.

Ladies-in-waiting—Gwenneth McBriety, Polly White, Thelma Dryden, Laura Virginia White, Estalee Twigg, Marjorie Freeman.

Following the Salisbury float will be representatives of sister towns on the Peninsula with a Princess presiding over each float.

The next division in line will be the military, followed by the civic, firemen's, and comic divisions.



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THE PARADE---Continued

The last division will be composed of fourteen floats which, taken as a whole, will portray the present, or 1932, advantages of the city of Salisbury as a place of happy and healthful living.

The floats in order are as follows:

1. HOSPITALITY.

Girl at open gate—Constance Clark.

Girls seated at front—Leslie Purnell and Jeanne Holloway.

Girl on throne—Agnes Wier.

2. AGRICULTURE.

Queen—Margaret Laws.

3. DAIRYING.

Girls with double pails—Irene Banks and Lois Sharp.

Girls with single pails—Paige Cauthorne and Ruth Messick.

Girls churning—Mildred Mitchell and Eleanor Hearne.

4. INDUSTRY.

Girls at large wheel—Mrs. Carl Monsees, Mrs. Joseph Graham.

Woman sewing—Mrs. R. M. Nock.

5. MERCHANDISING.

Girl on globe—Mamie Grier.

6. TRANSPORTATION.

Father Time—Charles Hearne.

7. FINANCIAL STRENGTH.

Money queen—Adele Dolby.

8. PROSPERITY.

Girls—Anne Johnson, Mrs. Edward Davis, Dorothy Bailey, Helen Perdue.

9. HEALTH AND HYGIENE.

Crippled children—Helen Hosier, Edith Mae Shockley, James Cahali, Jr.

Nurses assisting—Miss Graham, Miss Luettinger.

Nurses with babies—Miss Helen Fisher and Myrtle Nock.

Doctor—Dr. Wilkins Couch.

Nurse at Hospital—Miss Beatrice Pryor.

10. RECREATION.

Swimming children—Betty Handy and Hunter Mann.

Tennis girl—Mrs. Lee Hayman.

Golf girl—Purnell Quillen.

Basket Ball girl—Elizabeth Barnes.

Baseball—Raymond Bailey.

Football—Edwin Mitchell.

11. SPORTSMAN'S PARADISE.

Hunters and fishermen—A. J. Benjamin, James Davis, Louis Briddell, Miller White.

12. RELIGION.

13. EDUCATION.

Primary children—Teddy White, Betty Anne Gordy.

College graduates—Marian Moore, Mrs. William Moore.

Accompanying this float are pupils of the Wicomico Higr School, representing the educational facilities offered at that institution.

College Preparatory -----	Mary Frances McCarthy
	Anne Elizabeth Green
Commercial -----	Irene Waller
	Dolores Hayman
Domestic Science -----	Mary Miles
	Eunice Lee Harcum
Industrial Arts -----	Sidney Carey
	Ellsworth Akin

Physical Education-----	Girls Basketball -----	Ruth Barnes
		Margaret Moore
	Girls Field ball -----	Flora Williams
		Jean Anderson
	Boys Soccer -----	Royce Butler
		William Wood
	Football -----	McAllen Taylor
		Oscar Davis
	Basketball -----	Todd Grier
		Marion Phillips
	Baseball -----	Sam Carniglia
		William Hudson

14. AESTHETICS.

Girls—Betty Ruark, Aileen Truitt, Eloise Long, Virginia Waller, Margaret Rounds.

Girl in Heart—Betty Alien

BICENTENNIAL PROGRAM

FRIDAY

Harbor Day

9:00 A. M. to 12:00 Noon.

Inspection of harbor to view visiting craft and harbor decorations.

Concert at the Victor Lynn Wharf and band stand in the Court of Honor by the Bicentennial Band and the United States Marine Band of Quantico, Va.

1:00 P. M.

Pioneer obstacle canoe race starting at Johnson's Lake thru the north and south prongs of the Wicomico River and ending at the Municipal Park.

2:00 P. M.

Speed boat racing on Johnson's Lake. Racing craft segregated into four classes as to speed. Spectators will find points of vantage on the Lakeside Drive, via Division Street to New York Avenue and thence to Lakeside Drive.

3:00 P. M. Tennis Tournament at State Normal School courts.

7:00 P. M. Featuring Firemen's Carnival.

Music furnished by Bicentennial Band, H. B. Marston, Director.

PROGRAM

March—"Just For Fun" -----	Simpkins
Polka—Caprice—"Fickle Beauty" -----	Boisvert
"An Arkansaw Huskin Bee" -----	Pryor
March—"Windy Willie" -----	Losey
"Have A Little Fun" -----	Waner
Chinese Novelty—"The Mandarin" -----	Leigh
"River Stay Way From My Door" -----	Dixon-Woods
Two Step—"Ger-Ma-Nee" -----	Weidt
Fox Trot—"Dream Days" -----	McFall
March—"The Line Up" -----	Bertram

The main stream and the two prongs of the river will be decorated by three-fifths mile of flags of all nations and illuminated at night by 20 colored flood lights. It is expected that the harbor will be filled with government craft, state patrol boats, prohibition enforcement boats, pleasure crafts of yacht clubs and individuals.

8:00 P. M.

Illuminated Fountain.

Historical Pageant in the event the pageant was postponed by inclement weather from Tuesday night.

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SATURDAY

10:00 A. M. Horseshoe Tournament.

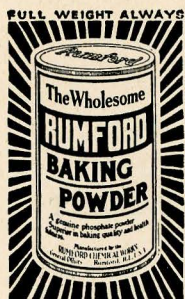
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Dawson Payne	Rhodesdale
L. F. Lord	Rhodesdale
Somerset County	
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Thomas O. Landon	Crisfield
Kent County, Del.	
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RELICS HOUSE

The "Relics House," 704 Division Street, will be open from 10:00 A. M. to 4:00 P. M. on August 10th, 11th, 12th of Bicentennial Week.

There will also be "Open House" Wednesday evening, August 10th, from 8:00 to 11:00 P. M.

The house itself is interesting, as it is one of the oldest houses in Salisbury, being considerably more than one hundred years of age.

In the early days Miss Elizabeth Roxburgh lived here. Her father was Major Alexander Roxburgh, a Scotchman, who was one of George Washington's aides during the Revolutionary War. Later he was made Brigadier General of the Militia of Somerset and Worcester Counties. This latter commission, dated in Annapolis June 9, 1794, will be seen in one of the museum rooms at the Relics House.

Three rooms—a Drawing Room, Dining Room and Bed Room—each furnished completely in early American style, with local furniture, inherited from the early days, will be exhibited. These rare things, passed down to the present generation, and generously loaned by interested and patriotic townfolk, carry with them volumes of local history and family lore.

One room will be furnished with relics of Salisbury, collected and loaned by the Wicomico Chapter of the Woman's Eastern Shore Society of Baltimore.

Other rooms in the house will be arranged in Museum style, where curious articles of the long ago will tell in silent eloquence of a stately past.

Weaving will be done on a loom, made in 1825. This loom, hewn out by the hand of an early patriot, will be operated by his grand-daughter, now 76 years of age.

An ancient spinning wheel will be in activity again with flax passed on from another generation.

Costumes of early periods will carry one back to the times when beau and belle, Cavalier and Lady, swayed to the gentle rythm of the Minuet.

Each day hostesses, gowned like their grandmothers, will be in attendance to welcome visitors.

Wednesday evening the Relics Committee, composed of ladies and gentlemen in colonial costumes, will act as hosts and hostesses.

Music will recall memories of the past.

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Modern Salisbury

It is frequently said that Salisbury is the busiest city in America for the area it covers. The late Thomas R. Marshall, while Vice-President of the United States, declared that this city's business district would do full justice to any city of 100,000 population.

So rapid, yet substantial, has been its growth, that the physical characteristics of the city are constantly changing. Claiming today nearly 12,000 inhabitants within the corporate limits, and surrounded with well populated suburbs, there is every indication that future growth will be even more rapid.

The casual visitor does not have to refer to statistics, however, for his impressions are of a very modern city with every appearance of being much larger than it really is. Here is an urban community proud of its past and looking with utmost confidence to the future.

The visitor is impressed with the business-like atmosphere of the commercial districts. He finds an optimism in business and commerce here that has become nearly obscure in other towns and cities he has visited.

The hundreds of large, beautiful homes, set in the midst of well kept lawns, flowers and shrubbery are pleasing to his aesthetic tastes. There is a charming culture and hospitality about the citizens that leave an indelible impression gained in few other American cities.

Salisbury has been called the best lighted city of its size in the country.

During the period of economic stress which has gripped the nation since the latter part of 1929, Salisbury's progress has not been retarded. Babson's statistical organization, reporting monthly upon the economic condition of the Nation, has constantly designated Salisbury as one of the brightest spots in the East from the viewpoint of sales opportunities.

The issuance of building permits by the municipal government during the last five years has averaged more than one permit daily. For the past two years, Salisbury has easily ranked second only to Baltimore in the volume of building operations under way in Maryland cities; \$780,842 in 1930, and \$708,-

795 in 1931, nearly trebling the third ranking city in the latter year. Postal receipts, usually considered an equable barometer by which to measure business conditions of a community, have each year set new records at the postoffice in Salisbury.

Deflation in real estate values, so pronounced elsewhere in recent months, is hardly discernable here.

The assessed value of real estate is \$12,000,000, while the net bonded indebtedness is less than \$500,000. The city and county tax collections have been made as readily as any similar period on record, and both governing bodies closed the fiscal year's business with cash balances in the treasury.

Salisbury's three banks have combined resources of \$7,000,000. Although many financial institutions in other sections of the country have suffered, it is significant that each of Salisbury's banks has erected and occupied during the last two years new homes on some of the most valuable sites in the business district.

Salisbury is a wholesale distributing center for a population of nearly 100,000. Its many modern retail stores regularly draw shoppers from communities of sixty miles. The United States government census for 1930 lists 179 retail outlets having net sales of \$8,783,959 per year.

Modern hard surfaced highways radiate in every direction. Route No.13, which shortens the trip from North to South by 150 miles, passes through Salisbury, affording a comfortable resting place for the traveler.

The Wicomico Hotel, erected as a community project and by popular subscription in 1924, is a seven story structure comparable to hostelryes of metropolitan cities. The great network of highways concentrating in Salisbury, has annually drawn more and more tourists. Tourist travel has, in fact, become an industry; the volume of which has been increased by more than 500 per cent. since 1925.

The city is at the junction of the Pennsylvania and the Baltimore and Eastern Railroads. It is the home of Red Star Motor Coaches, Inc., whose bus lines honeycomb the Del-Mar-Va Peninsula and a terminal of the Eastern Shore Transit Company operating busses from the lower tip of the Peninsula. The Greyhound lines and Eastern States Coaches make this an important junction point for operations along this section of the Atlantic

Seaboard.

This is also the home office of the Victor Lynn Transportation Company, operators of fast freight boat service daily over the Wicomico River between Salisbury and Baltimore. The Company at each terminal maintains coordinating motor truck service with store door deliveries.

From the Salisbury terminal, motor trucks connect the freight boat service with more than two score towns on the Eastern Shore.

Agriculture is a basic industry for the region. Highly specialized truck farming has been developed and because of the easy accessibility of the great northern consuming markets, growers receive the highest prevailing prices for their commodities.

The manufacture of farm packages, crates, baskets, hampers and barrels is one of the city's leading industries, providing employment for several hundred laborers.

From earliest time, the manufacture of lumber for building materials has been an industry developed to a high state of efficiency. Another industry allied with agriculture is the manufacture of fertilizers. Plants located here serve farmers in several states.

The manufacture of shirts and other articles of clothing for men furnish employment for additional hundreds of men and women. Here are manufactured two brands of men's shirts known and worn throughout the Nation.

Vessels constructed at the marine railways, particularly private pleasure yachts, today are sailing the seven seas.

Modern meat packing plants provide a ready market for the raiser of livestock.

Dairying, too, has been highly developed. The Wicomico herds are known wherever thoroughbred dairy animals are exhibited. The county is especially noted for an excellent breed of Guernseys.

The extent to which dairying has grown has resulted in the establishment of ice cream manufacturing plants. Three of these enterprises serve Salisbury and many other Eastern Shore towns.

Horticulture and floral culture are industries for which the city and county are noted throughout the Nation. It is the largest producer of commercial strawberries and strawberry plants in the United States.

Poultry raising has become highly developed in adjacent rural sections, adding to the revenue of the agricultural sections.

Production of paper boxes, barber supplies, soft drinks, bakery products, bricks and other commodities have made this a manufacturing center of outstanding importance.

Salisbury has many important institutions, notably those dedicated to health and the dissemination of education.

Maryland State Normal School was founded in 1925 and represents a state investment of approximately one million dollars. It occupies a twenty-acre campus in a beautiful and exclusive residential section.

Noted educational authorities have declared it to be a modern plant for the instruction of teachers in graded schools. Its three year course is equal to a similar period in the standard college.

Though it has been in operation only a few years the institution has gained wide renown in realms of education.

Maryland's public school system is rated among the foremost in America and in Salisbury and the County the student is provided every modern facility designed to advantageously equip him for a career.

Salisbury has just completed a fire-proof High School at the cost of \$500,000. The structure, situated on a ten acre campus overlooking Municipal Park, has a capacity for the instruction of one thousand students. Its gymnasium, cafeteria and class rooms have the most modern equipment. The library is the most complete in the counties of Maryland. An athletic field and stadium are being developed by the building commission.

The city's primary schools are thoroughly modern in physical equipment and curriculum and each is provided with a highly trained faculty.

An up-to-date brick school building for colored pupils has also been erected within the last eighteen months.

Since 1930 two new brick schools have been constructed in the County at nearby Hebron and Pittsville. Adhering to the policy of centralization, the Wicomico Board of Education maintains more than thirty bus routes, making equally available to all children the best in school facilities. The health of the school child is carefully supervised by the City-County Health Department which maintains a competent staff for that purpose.

The Public Library is maintained by contributions from the

city, county and public patrons.

Peninsula General Hospital, a fully accredited institution with 106 beds, has adequately met the needs of Salisbury and the central counties of the Del-Mar-Va Peninsula for thirty years.

The hospital had its inception in 1898 in an eight-room residence on West Main Street. It soon outgrew its original quarters, however, and in 1903 the hospital at South Division and West Locust Streets was erected and since then its capacity has been more than doubled through the generosity of the public.

Filling a unique role in administering to the health needs of the community is the Eastern Shore Tuberculosis Sanatorium established as a private institution in 1908 on a site overlooking the Wicomico River. The original program has been expanded many fold since its acquisition in 1925 by the State of Maryland.

The health program of city and county as represented by the work of the hospital, sanatorium and health department is further augmented by an active welfare organization which employs full time nurses devoted to public health and charity work.

Of the many institutions in the city none fills a more unique purpose than the John B. Parsons Home for the Aged. The beautiful group of buildings provide a real home for its aged tenants who are permanently relieved of the burdens of care and uncertainties for the remainder of their span of life.

The present day institution had its inception many years ago when citizens of the town attempted in a small way to care for the aged residents.

The home is endowed with a trust fund of approximately \$600,000 bequeathed to it by the late John B. Parsons, former resident of the city, who, in later years, became head of street railways in Philadelphia and Chicago. In this manner the Home's future is assured for generations to come.

The Eastern Baptist Association also maintains a home at East Church and Naylor Streets for aged members of that denomination residing within the north and middle Atlantic Seaboard areas.

Salisbury has not neglected recreation facilities for its inhabitants and those who visit the city. Lovers of golf find two well kept courses within easy access. The Green Hill Country Club course is on the shores of the beautiful, winding Wicomico.

Rich-Wil Park course is within six minutes walk from the city's center.

For lovers of other sports, the baseball park stands have a seating capacity of 2,500 spectators and the grandstands at the fair grounds accommodate a like number. Boxing and wrestling are held in an indoor arena constructed for this purpose in a northern suburb.

Few cities of Salisbury's size possess a Municipal Park of such natural scenic beauty. The city government has launched a program of systematic development of the 58-acre site in the Eastern section of the city. Hundreds of city children daily enjoy the well-lighted bathing pool, and Schumaker and Johnson lakes are ideal for boating. In the park has just been completed a large electrically illuminated fountain—a thing of spectacular beauty.

Within a short auto drive from Salisbury are some of the best fishing and hunting possibilities to be found anywhere in America. Fresh and salt water lakes and rivers contain all species of fish that inhabit the temperate zone.

Scores of hunting lodges dot the marsh lands and waterfront along rivers, bays and bayous where millions of wild fowl literally overcast the skies in the fall and winter seasons.

Hunting upland game is the favorite pastime for thousands of other sportsmen. The State Conservation Department has established here a plant for propagation of thousands of quail which are released in the counties to replenish the annual population of this wary game bird.

Connected with Salisbury by a network of hard surfaced highways are scores of river, bay and ocean resorts that annually attract hundreds of thousands of vacationists.

Church edifices are among the most imposing structures in the city. The membership of the eighteen churches constitutes an exceedingly large percentage of the populace. A recent religious survey revealed that less than one hundred of the inhabitants were non-affiliates of a church.

Among the religious denominations worshipping here according to their beliefs are found: Methodist Episcopal, Methodist Protestant, Methodist Episcopal South, Baptist (Primitive and New Light faiths), Roman Catholic, Presbyterian, Protestant Episcopal, Hebrew, German Lutheran, Unitarian, Seventh Day

Adventist, Church of God, and the Salvation Army.

The civic spirit is pronounced in the service clubs, women's organizations, fraternities and the Chamber of Commerce.

Summers are long and warm and always tempered by breezes from the ocean or bay. Winters are short and not severe. Snow rarely remains on the ground more than a few hours and then the beauty of the landscape far overshadows the possible inconvenience.

Frosts depart early and return late, making for a lengthy growing season and a year-round rotation of crops.

Health statistics show the health rate from disease is 25% lower than the average for the State and 35% lower than the average for the entire United States.

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Historic Salisbury

To American geography, nine states have contributed a City of Salisbury—Connecticut, Maryland, Massachusetts, Missouri, North Carolina, New Hampshire, New York, Pennsylvania—but Maryland claims the oldest city of that name.

Salisbury, Md., was founded by an act of Provincial Assembly August 8, 1732, and this week is observing its 200th anniversary.

Many native Salisburyans today may trace their origin back to the Celtic inhabitants of Britain prior to the Roman Conquest. Today there is the purest strain of Anglo-Saxon blood flowing in the veins of inhabitants of this city and county than may be found elsewhere in the United States.

When the Emperor Claudius invaded Britain A. D. 43, Roman Legions established on the grassy hills of Belgae (later Wiltshire) a mighty fortress which they called Sorbiodium. Cerdic, founder of the West Saxon Kingdom, fixed his seat of government there. In the beginning of the 6th century, by the Celtic element, this settlement was called Sarum; by the Saxons, Saresbury; and eventually by the English, Salisbury.

About 1220 the inhabitants of Old Sarum moved down into the fertile Avon Valley, two miles distant, and there established about the great cathedral a New Sarum, or Saresbury. In such manner was the modern City of Salisbury, Wiltshire, England, founded.

After Charles II ascended the throne and following the abortive Penruddocke rising on his behalf in 1665, many prominent residents of Salisbury and Wiltshire—some of them leaders under Cromwell—immigrated to America and settled on the lower Eastern Shore of the Palatinate of Maryland, that they might enjoy peace, personal liberty and happiness. Joined by their countrymen, who at first had settled in other provinces, they sought to perpetuate here the customs, mannerisms and names familiar to Anglo-Saxon history.

The story of their achievements forms a colorful chapter in American history and parallels the history of the City of Salisbury.

Salisbury was erected at the head of navigation on Wicomico River on the site called Handy's Landing, where as early as 1665

Colonel Isaac Handy, the progenitor of the Somerset family of that name, had established an important trading post and conducted an extensive export and import business.

The site was originally granted to John Winder as a portion of Pemberton's Good Will," about September 3, 1682, and described as being at the "Fork In Ye Head of Rockawalkin." Upon the death of the original owner, Pemberton's Good Will" passed to William Winder, a son who was a minor and residing in Virginia when the Provincial Assembly set aside fifteen acres upon which to erect Salisbury Town. Since most of the residents in this section had descended from English origin the source of Salisbury's name is readily explained.

Prior to the founding of the town, all of the land along the river front and far back into the interior had been settled. In 1683 the first Presbyterian Church in America had been established at Rehoboth and seven other points in the county including two churches on the Wicomico River.

Protestant Episcopal, or Church of England, denominations was established in the province by act of the Assembly June 9th, 1692, and the parish church erected at Green Hill followed by the erection of two outposts known as Goddard's Chapel and Spring Hill Chapel.

The Methodist and Baptist faiths originated about the time of the Revolution and by the eighteenth century had established churches in the Town. Other denominations are of more recent origin.

Agriculture was the principal pursuit for the settlers. Until the Revolutionary War, extensive mining operations for iron ore developed into an important industry. Tobacco, flax, cotton, and corn were raised extensively.

In such an atmosphere Salisbury was erected. For more than a hundred years its growth was slow. A survey of 1817 shows not all of the original lots had been improved with buildings and the town was confined within the original fifteen acre area. There were then in the town three taverns, a half dozen stores and incidental business places.

A year before the declaration of war with Great Britain, Salisbury was in a high state of agitation for American independence. The townspeople affiliated themselves with the Association of Freemen and endorsed a Declaration for Freedom which

by several months antedated the eventual Declaration of Independence.

Nevertheless, the many waterways of the Eastern Shore provided safe retreat for those sympathetic to the English crown and these Tories caused no end of trouble to the inhabitants of the town and countryside.

In compliance with a request to Congress a company of Maryland militia under command of General William Smallwood was sent from Baltimore to Salisbury, arriving here February 19, 1777, with a list of known Tories and orders to capture all not known as sympathizers with the colonial cause.

Upon arrival here General Smallwood found the community had recruited a militia and, though inadequately armed, had, with daring courage, captured a large number of Tories without blood shed. Some of the prisoners were sent to the Princess Anne jail, others placed aboard sailing vessels for Annapolis.

Many Salisburians who took up arms became a part of the immortal Maryland Line. Others devoted their nautical knowledge to conducting warfare on the seas or in transporting in their own vessels food and supplies for the colonial military forces.

Among the heroes contributed by the town was Alexander Roxburgh, who had emigrated from Scotland, joined the army at the outbreak of the war and at its close was retired with the rank of major. Later, in recognition of his gallant service when as Captain of a company in the Maryland Line, he so successfully covered Washington's retreat from Long Island, and of his gallantry in the battles of White Plains, Princeton and Germantown, he was accorded the rank of Brigadier General.

Twice Salisbury has been almost completely destroyed by disastrous fires. In 1860 and again in 1886, the town was nearly devastated.

Aside from the actual material loss, many important landmarks were destroyed. This accounts for the lack of ancient structures today.

In the Civil War Salisbury assumed a most important role. For nearly the entire duration of the conflict, Union forces occupied the town. The first armed force to arrive was the First Regiment, Delaware Volunteer Infantry, in command of Colonel Henry Hall Lockwood, under orders to forestall an expected invasion of the Eastern Shore by rebel forces.

Later, the Regiment was replaced by a newly formed First Regiment, Eastern Shore of Maryland Volunteers, composed entirely of a personnel raised from Dorchester, Caroline, Talbot and Somerset Counties.

From the camp here the Union soldiers were despatched to all parts of the Peninsula, detailed to disarm secessionists. For the sole purpose was to hold the state of Delaware and counties of the Eastern Shore of Maryland and Virginia into the Union.

So effective were the Regiment's maneuvers that the purpose was accomplished without a drop of bloodshed. The Union Army in northern Virginia was protected from attack and potential sources of supplies to the Confederacy from northern states were cut off.

The occupation of Salisbury by Union forces permitted uninterrupted telegraphic communication between the Union Armies in Virginia and Washington. It is said that over this line official Washington was first notified of Lee's surrender at Yorktown.

Until 1745, all the area from the Nanticoke River to the Virginia state line was incorporated into Somerset County. In that year Worcester County was formed from the seaside portion of Somerset.

As Salisbury extended its boundaries the town found itself straddling the line between the two Counties. The eastern section conducting governmental business in Snow Hill, while residents west of Division Street were required to go to Princess Anne. Inhabitants of the upper regions and the tidewater towns along the Wicomico and Nanticoke found the journey to Princess Anne required fully a day and caused no end of inconvenience.

At the Constitutional Convention held in Annapolis in the summer of 1867 agitation for a new County reached a climax. Hundreds of petitions endorsing the proposal and additional hundreds opposing it were sent to the Convention. Public mass-meetings were held in every town and hamlet. Feeling ran high. But from out the controversy the Convention passed a measure authorizing the formation of Wicomico County from portions of Somerset and Worcester, subject to a referendum. In November of the same year the voters approved formation of the new County and a separate political entity was formed for which Salisbury became the county seat.

It was not until the turn of the 20th Century that Salisbury

really began to show notable growth. Since that time its population has nearly trebled and the 1930 government census showed Salisbury to be the most rapidly growing City in Maryland, having a population increase of 45.6 for the past decade.

The seekers for things historical may still find in city and county today reminders of a colonial splendor, of the traditions which the native Eastern Shoreman cherishes, of the marks left upon this section by famous men and women who have contributed no small part to American History.

At the head of Poplar Hill Avenue stands Poplar Hill Mansion, the oldest structure in the city. It was built by Major Levin Handy, who came to Maryland from Rhode Island in 1795, though it is said he had been a native of Somerset County.

Until a few years ago, there stood at the rear of the Mansion a portion of an earlier residence where resided Captain John Winder, father of Governor Levin Winder and Major General William H. Winder, grandfather of Col. Ephriam King Wilson, Sr., a member of the 20th and 21st Congress, and great-grandfather of Senator Ephriam King Wilson, Jr.

Major Handy spared no expense in selection of material or cost of construction to which the durability of the construction is attested. Its large rooms and spacious halls, the hand carving if the interior woodwork are considered the best colonial production—a skillful work lost to the modern artisans.

The mansion today is owned by George W. D. Waller, a local attorney, and occupied by his family. It is the object of frequent visits by connoisseurs of colonial architecture.

Located on a bluff on the south side of Wicomico River near the junction of Tony Tank Creek and the river, is Cherry Hill House, erected prior to 1757 and for more than a century the ancestral home of the Somers and Gunby families.

Although the original structure has been rebuilt by the present owner, Louis W. Gunby, the interior has been preserved with wide fireplaces and curved staircases, borders of scroll work, and flooring of hard pine. Commanding a view of Wicomico River for several miles it today is one of the most beautiful country homes on the Eastern Shore.

One of the most notable owners of the house was Captain Samuel Somers, who acquired it near the close of the 18th Century. A noted seaman, Captain Somers maintained at Cherry

Hill large warehouses and did importing and exporting trade with Cuba and the West Indies for many planters of the interior section. He was of the Somers family which figured conspicuously in the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812. One of the family, George Somers, is said to have first raised the British flag in Bermuda Island.

Situated about half way between Salisbury and Spring Hill Church on the stage road leading from Salisbury to Barren Creek, Vienna and points up the shore, is the Bishop Stone House, the home of the first Bishop of the Diocese of Maryland. Bishop William Murray Stone was born in Wicomico County June 1, 1779, and was consecrated Bishop of Maryland Diocese October 21, 1830. He lived in this house until his death, February 26, 1838. His remains were placed in the burying ground on the place, but later moved to Parsons Cemetery, Salisbury, where the Diocese of Maryland has erected a monument to his memory.

The house, constructed about 170 years ago, is in a good state of preservation.

On the south side of Wicomico River, almost opposite Green Hill Church is the structure known for several generations as the Chase House, in which Samuel Chase, a signer of the Declaration of Independence, was said to have been born, though this fact is disputed by some authorities.

The house, built about 1741, was the residence of Rev. Thomas Chase, while he was rector of Somerset Parish, and here his son, Samuel, is said to have been born, April 17, 1741. The rector died April 4th, 1779, living to see his son become a leader in the Revolution and attain high rank as a lawyer. After his father's death Samuel Chase served for several years as a jurist in Baltimore and was appointed, by President George Washington, an associate justice of the United States Supreme Court, serving until his death, June 18, 1811.

Green Hill Church, the oldest building in the County, has stood for 200 years on the west bank of the Wicomico, almost hidden today by the thick foliage of majestic oak trees that surround it. The structure, long considered the mother church of Stepney Parish, was erected in 1733 of bricks brought from England. The present edifice was erected to replace an earlier structure which had stood since about 1690 on another lot of Green Hill Towne, as shown on a map of the town made in 1708.

Episcopalians conduct an annual pilgrimage to this hallowed shrine where several generations of earlier members of the denomination are buried, their graves marked by moss-covered stones that bear quaint, though interesting, inscriptions.

As one passes up the Wicomico, beyond Green Hill and continues toward Salisbury, attention is attracted to a large, red brick house with shingled roof and quaint dormer windows. This is Pemberton Hall, erected in 1741 by a member of a prominent Winder family. The date of its erection may be seen outlined in black brick inserted in one of the end walls.

The interior of Pemberton Hall is typical of the colonial manors. Leading from the front entrance a wide hall extends the length of the house. In the west end of the lower floor is one large room where dances and fetes were held for colonial societies. On each side of the hall is another large room. Hard pine was used to build the graceful staircase and the same material employed for floors. Nearly 200 years later, the wood appears to be well preserved. The kitchen on the east side of the house, is separated from it by a colonade.

A few, if any, places in the County are richer in historical fact and tradition than Tony Tank, situated in the southern suburban section. The name was applied to one of the earliest land grants. The beautiful colonial mansion, nearly hidden by stately trees and surrounded by charming wardens of flowers and boxwood, is now the residence of Mrs. Alvin J. Vander Bogart a descendant of one of the earlier owners, Noah Rider.

For many years this was the most important shipping point on the Wicomico River for foreign and locally owned vessels. A vast importing and mercantile trade was connected here prior to completion of the early settlement of Salisbury. In recent years the old stone water mill was restored and put in operation. Tradition has it that Captain Kidd, the notorious pirate, sailed up Tony Tank Creek and buried treasure there. The creek is no longer navigable. But that which is lost as a mercantile and trading center has more than been replaced by increased attractiveness that has made it one of the show places.

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